TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

BUSINESS. . Yesterday's bank clearings were \$8,623,-174; balances, \$2,158,828. Local discount rates were between 5 and 6 per cent. Domestic exchange was quoted as follows: New York, 25c premium bid, 35c premium

asked; Chicago, par bid, 10c premium asked; Cincinnati, Louisville and New Orleans, 25c discount bid, par asked. Wheat closed lower at 85%c asked May; \$5695c No. 2 red. Corn closed lower at 474c bid May; 456454c No. 2 mixed. Oats closed at 41%c asked; 40c No. 2 mixed. Spot cotton was %c higher in the local

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

SENATE.

Senator Morgan explains the purpose of his bill providing for the annexation of Panama. He declares the Panama Canal treaty contemplates eventual annexation, and that his plan offers the casiest and safest escape from the complications that threaten the Govern-ment as a result of the President's course toward Panama and Colombia. Above all, Sen-ator Morgan argues, it is essential that the United States pacify Colombia, which has no ntion of submitting calmly to the loss isthmian State without compensation.
HOUSE.

Mr. Williams minority leader, arraigns the Republican party for its position on the tariff, the trusts and the Panama Canal matter, declaring the majority party to be the party of negation, and asserting that it is impossi-ble to ascertain what the Republicans are

LOCAL AND SUBURBAN. Harbor Commissioner Whyte discusses

oblem of disposition of ashes. The Democratic State Committee will obably meet on February 1. -

An electric shock killed two and injured a stableful of horses at the National Brewery. Father Wippermann related an experi-

ence in which he was shot at while administering the last sacrament to a dying Real Estate Exchange members protest-

against increased water rates for flats and dwellings. Union hackmen strikers, fretting under

restraint, denounced Governor Dockery and Chief Kiely. Many liverymen drove the'r own teams, and reported that volunteer drivers were plentiful. Henry Hagenbeck declares that the Wild Animal Show on the Pike will be largest

in the world. Many persons have parrow escape in collision between a freight train and street car at Forsyth Junction.

meeting at the Laclede Hotel for a trip President McChesney of the Terminal was a witness before the Grand Jury in

regard to House of Delegates legislation. Judge Moore dreamed of calves in his courtroom the night before trying eightyfive milk cases. Mrs. Octavia De Laurenl, 94 years old.

died yesterday at her home in Michigan Rosie Meyer, 19 years old, leaves home

after declaring that she was going to end her life. Moxie C. Magee of Bowie. Tex., was arrested at the Southern Hotel on a charge

of grand larceny in New York. He was taken away from his young bride, to whom he was married two weeks ago. The frozen body of a Chinaman was ound in a car from Canada. The Celes-

tial is believed to have sacrificed his life an attempt to smuggle himself into the Thomas A. Buckner, vice president of the New York Life Insurance Company, announced that a check for \$775,000 awaits the Blair heirs. There will be no con-

The Board of Public Improvements will have a public hearing to-day in connec-tion with the extension of electric con-duits.

Press of work has delayed the issuance of licenses to theaters. Building Inspector Helmburger will have his deputies keep lose watch upon the managers to prevent

ing in the alsies. The official list of organists to take part in the concerts in Festival Hall during the

World's Fair has been issued.

Pestaloggi School Patrons' Association

unveiled a portrait of Mrs. Fanning. According to Terminal plans twenty-five extra trains daily may be handled during the World's Fair. Extras will be run ever Merchants's Bridge

Samuel R. Hewlett has been appointed chief of the Union Station Information Bu-

GENERAL DOMESTIC. A New York man who believes that

mystic influences are at work inciting him to kill the President is arrested and com-mitted to a hospital for an examination as to his sanity. Senator Hanna has the grip and will be

confined to his rooms in Washington for several days. The Chcago Board of Health obtains the

promise of a supply of antitoxin at a reasonable price, and hopes soon to be able to smash the so-called "death trust." Robbers steal the express safe from a car on the Sunset Limited train in Cali-

fornis and escape with its contents. The value of the booty is variously estimated. Three persons are burned to death and thirteen injured by a gas explosion which wrecks a hotel at Marion, Ind. Ice gorges break loose in nearly all the

rivers through Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky, threatening disastrous floods. The Kentucky Senate passes the Fair bill, appropriating \$75,000 for the State's

exhibit at St. Louis. Governor Dockery appoints D. J. Dean a member of the Kansas City Police Board

to succeed William T. Kemper.

Daniel J. Sully, the "cotton king," is nitiated into membership in the New York Stock Exchange.

Cut-stone contractors east of Denver form an association, one of whose objects is to deal with the labor problem.

The Iroquois Club at Chicago proposes to give a banquet soon, at which the boom of General Miles for President will be formally launched.

Too keen competition by "5-per-cent-aweek" concerns caused the merging of two more conservative turf investment anies at New York, it is asserted by the president of one of them on the wit

Prince Eucwha of Korea, who is studying in this country, is concealing his whereabouts, owing to the highly unsettled ditions in his native country, where one faction proposes to make him Emperor, though he is not the heir-apparent. coms at Madison, Ill., were ignored by the Grand Jury.

Marine Intelligence, New York, Jan. 21.—Arrived: Amsterdam, from Rotterdam, New York, Jan. 21.—Sailed: La Bretagne,

Inistrabuli, Jan. 21.-Passed: Mongolian. New York for Glasgow. Havre, Jan. 21.-Arrived: La Savole. New York.

Hamburg, Jan. 21.-Arrived: Pennsylvania, New York, via Plymouth and Cher-Antwerp, Jan. 21,-Arrived: Switzerland,

London, Jan. 11,-Sailed: Minnehaha,

nstown, Jan. 11.—Sailed: Majestic,

Ushant, Jan. 21.—Passed: Silesta, San Francisco, etc., via Tenderiffe for Ham-Liverpool, Jan. 21 .- Sailed: Canada, Halifax, Nova Scotia, and Portland, Me.; Cre-

tic. Beston, via Queenstown; Victorian, Halifax, Nova Scotia, and St. John, New Brunswick, via Moville.

UNIVERSAL PEACE THEME OF ORATORS.

William Jennings Bryan the Principal Speaker at Holland Society's Dinner.

PRAISES THE HAGUE COURT.

World Not Yet Ready for Disarmament, It Is Declared, but Tendency of the Times Is in That Direction.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

New York, Jan. 21.-Peace, here, elsewhere and for all time, was the dominant note of half a dozen well-known speakers at the nineteenth annual dinner of the Holland Society of New York, given at the Walderf-Asteria to-night.

William Jennings Bryan talked of universal love and harmony, the Chinese Min-ister eulogized the Czar of Russia for inugurating the great movement for international peace, and other orators prolaimed against further slaughter by warring nations.

President Roosevelt, a member of the ociety, sent a letter expressive of his regret that he could not be with his "fellow

Mr. Bryan was the chief figure at the principal table, and Mrs. Bryan, with a group of friends, occupied the large box. Mr. Bryan said, in part; Since my visit to the Netherlands, my since my usit to the Netherlands, my thoughts have been dwelling much upon the important part that that little nation seems destined to take in the movement that has or its object the substitution of reason for force in the settlement of differences between nations.

It is fitting that the temple of peace should It is fitting that the temple of peace should stand upon ground that was the scene of an elighty-year conflict, and I am glad that an American citizen has so generously provided for its construction.

We must not expect all armies to be dis-

We must not expect all armies to be dis-banded at once, or look for the immediate settlement of all questions by arbitration. The peace conference, which, by invitation of the Emperor of Russia, convened at The Hague— the Feace Conference to which our own coun-try has given succeed to which our own coun-try has given succeed to the try of the peace amounce a new discrete they it simply gave ex-pression to a desire there, it simply gave ex-pression to a desire they it simply gave ex-or less extent, among the was fell, to a greater or less extent, among the was fell, to a greater or every nation. It revealed the conscience will assert its supremency over the brute instinct. ust not expect all armies to be dis-

FORMS OF VIRTUE.
There have been times when bravery on the battlefield was regarded as the highest form of virtue, and there have been times when ctual force and independence of though

intellectual force and interpretate of thought have been held all sufficient; but now such characteristics are beginning to be recignized as not the diminant have we are finding that neither the patiently diverged body nor the splendidly trained into the the measure of the man or the notifier the body gettle, are not due to the varieties and the world. But to the fact and the material sources of the world, but to the fact and that the measure of the material sources of the world, but there is an awakening at nand. In the United States, in England, in Figure 1. Husting at mand, in the United States, in England, in Figure 1. Husting a powerless as a fight between wild animals to determine the right or wrong of any proposition. They far a first of the suffer in the brotherhood of man, may go far astrong in the brotherhood of man, may go far astrong the figure 1. It is not on the plutocracy of wealth, or on the arisocracy of the beart that the hop the democracy of the beart that the hop the democracy of the beart that the hop the democracy are the right of the sufficient and permanent permanent of the people throughout the world, standing on the heights, are learning that God is not in the invincials, or in the armies, but in the still small voice of justice that issues from tribunals like that recently instituted at The Hague.

CHARLES A. TOWNE CONFERS WITH JUDGE ALTON PARKER.

eclares Bryan's Assertion Concerning Kansas City Platform Must

Not Be Taken Too Seriously.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Albany, N. Y., Jan. 21.-Charles A. Towne, formerly one of William J. Bry-an's chief lieutenants and a leader of the Western Populists, came from Buffalo to Albany with Mr. Bryan to-day and stopped over to have a talk with Judge Alton B. Parker of the Court of Appeals.

Mr. Towne laid before Judge Parker the Bryan point of view of the political sit untion and assured him that Mr. Bryan's recent declaration that the Kansas City

recent declaration that the Kansas City platform must be upheld by the next Democratic Convention should not be taken too seriously.

"What do you think of Bryan's assertion that the Kansas City platform should remain unchanged?" was asked of Mr. Towne after his talk with Judge Parker.

"Undoubtedly the principles of the platform are all right." Mr. Towne repiled cautiously, "but I do not think Mr. Bryan meant that the language should remain absolutely unchanged. It seems to me conceded that New York will have the candidate for President, aithough I do not know that this is final. I think we should go down to the convention free to consider what it is best to do when we get there. The delegates should not be bound by instructions. As to see unit rule I have nothing to say. I think we have a fair chance to win if we are prudent."

COMMITTEEMEN FOR HEART.

COMMITTEEMEN FOR HEART. More Than Half Favor the Yorker for President. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Topeka, Kas., Jan. 21.-Of the fifty prominent Kansas Democrats here to-day attending the meeting of the State Committee, more than half have declared for Hearst for President, two express a choice for Judge Parker and one for Congress-man De Armond of Missouri. David R. Francis probably could have the Kansas delegation if he were a can-didate.

IS IN THE RACE TO STAY.

U. B. Wells Denies Rumor That He Has Withdrawn.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Salem, Ill., Jan. 21.—Manufactured ru mors have been sent abroad to the effect that U. B. Wells of this county had withdrawn from the congressional race.

Mr. Wells emphatically denies these statements and to-day declares that he is in the fight to stay until the matter is decided.

COLDER WEATHER DUE TO-DAY

Rain or Snow to Fall and North erly Winds Will Prevail.

The cold weather which was predicted to reach St. Louis yesterday morning had not arrived up to a late hour last night. Rain or snow and much colder, with high northerly winds, is the forecast for to-day. imum temperature last night was below the freezing point.

Storms that were over Texas on Wednesday yesterday moved to Missouri, and gave general rains and snow in the Ohio, Mississippi and Missouri valleys, the Lake region, Kansas and Oklahoma. Another storm has formed over Texas and will cause continued unsettled weather over the Southern and Central States.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 21.-The Western Retail Implement and Vehicle Dealers' Low temperatures were reported yester-Association, which closed its annual session here to-day, in its fight on the harvester trust, so-called, adopted resolutions pledging the members as individuals to give their support to such manufacturers and jobbers as will respect the principles of the association in its efforts to abolish general store agencies. Resolutions adopted also denounce the mail order and catalogue business. N. D. Robinet of Columbia, Mo., was elected president. day from the Western and Southwestern States and the Lake region. It was much warmer in the East and Northwest. The coldest weather was reported from the Missouri Valley and along the Northern border. The rainfall was heavy in Okla-homa and Indian Territories, Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio.

"YANKEE CONSUL" AND HIS ASSOCIATES GUESTS OF ALFRED G. ROBYN AND HENRY M. BLOSSOM, JR.





ALFRED G. ROBYN AND HENRY M. BLOSSOM, JR., Authors of "The Yankee Consul," as t hey appeared at the Glen Echo Club yesterday, surrounded by the Santo Domingo "Mosquitoes." The "Mosquitoes" are a part of "The Yankee Consul," the Robyn-Blossom opera, at

the Century this week.

the age?" "Who is the playwright who makes us forget W. Shakespeare, R. B. Sheridan

of this or any other age?"

a few remarks." Accustomed as I am to making public speeches (great applause), it affords me great pleasure to address you on this occasion. (Loud applause.) The pleasure-zerzer (great oratorical flourish of hands by

zer (great oratorical flourish of hands by Mr. Hitchcock. Tumultuous applause by listeners.) The pleasure, the pleasure—"
At this point Mr. Hitchcock became so thoroughly overcome by the effect of his own inspired thoughts that words failed him, and his master speech ended in a few well-chosen, broken syllables, which filled the audience with ecstasy.

As Mr. Hitchcock sat down his face plainly showed that he was conscious of the tremendous effect that his cleverly expressed thoughts nad had upon those gathered about him. When the fact became thoroughly established that Mr. Hitchcock had really ended his long-prepared address, the company could no longer restrain its joyful feeling and the cheering was prolonged for several minutes.

Mr. Hitchcock accepted the compliment

"I shall change my name," said Mr.
Hitchcock. "In the future kindly call me
William Brenning: Jyan."
It was at the Glen Echo Club yesterday afternoon that the members of "The
Yankee Consul" company, and the authors
of the opera, Aifred G. Robyn and Henry
M. Blossom, Jr., expressed the deep feeling of regard that each holds for the
other. other.

It was raining outside and darkness had almost settled when "The Yankee Con-

TITLED WRITER

FOR MAGAZINES.

World's Fair Secures Countess

Montaigu to Assist in Ex-

ploitation Work.

Countess Annie Montaigu, citizen of the

world and writer, is engaged, with the World's Fair Bureau of Publicity, to sup-

ply articles on Exposition topics to

women's magazines throughout the United

The Countess came to St. Louis from

Paris, France, at the invitation of the Ex-

position management, to take up the work.

For many years she has been Paris and

London correspondent for several of the

leading women's magazines of this coun-

Countess Montalgu is a native of the

United States, though her education was

received in France and Italy, and she has

spent most of her life on the other side

of the Atlantic. She has crossed the ocean

more than thirty times, and calls home

that land in which she happens to be liv-

Her husband, the late Count Frederique

Raymond Montaigu, was a member of an

ancient French Royalist family. During

the reign of Napoleon III he left his na-

the reign of Napoleon III he left his native land because of political difficulties and came to the United States, landing at New Orleans.

It was in that city that he met his wife, who was then Miss Annie Kershaw, a member of an old Southern family. They were married at the plantation of the Countess's father in Mississippi. The Count died in 1865, only a few months after his marriage.

According to the French law the Countess inherited his title, with his worldly goods. Shortly after her husband's death the Countess went to France and has spent much of her time in that country.

REFORM LEADER IS INDICTED.

Accused of Embezzling \$31,000

From B. and L. Association.

Clinton, Ia., Jan. 21.—J. W. Warr, president of the Moline Building and Loan Association, has been indicted by the Rock

Island County Grand Jury on seventeen counts. The indictments charge that he

has embezzied \$31,000, although, it is said, his shortage will exceed \$100,000.

Warr was a reformer and a church

worker, and last spring was a candidate for Mayor on the Reform ticket. He is in jail in default of bonds.

Fight on the Harvester Trust.

association, which closed its annual ses

States and Durope.

"Who's the greatest musical genius of the age?"
"Robyn, Alfred G. Robyn."
"Who is the playwright who makes us forget W. Shakespeare, R. B. Sheridan and a few others?"
"Henry M. Bloesom, Jr."
"Who is the greatest orator-comedian of this or any other age?"
"Raymond Hitchcock."
"Mr. Hitchcock will please favor with a few remarks."

Mr. Hitchcock: "Ladles and gentlemen—Mr. Hitchcock: "Ladles and gentlemen—Mr. Hitchcock: "Ladles and gentlemen—Mr. Hitchcock: "Ladles and gentlemen—Accustomed as I am to making public."

Some one began to sing "They's Rambling." and every one caught on. Natives were suspended ann "The Yankee Consul" and his cohorts ruled as they chose.
There were features on the programme made up entirely of striking numbers. It would be hard to say Just which number was best. The eloquent wordless speech of Raymond Hitchcock was a master effort and one which would have made Daniel Webster or a dozen other greater orators of ancient or modern times turn an envious green.

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HAZZARD'S CLASSIC NUMBERS. And Jack Hazzard's classic numbers. What of them? Spurred by the enthusiastic plaudits of the mosquito sextet, Haz-

tic plaudits of the mosquito sextet, Hazzard sang in a manner which ought to earn him each week \$1,000 and cakes.

William Danforth, James Templeton, Harry Farleigh, Ernest Amour, Henry M. Blossom and Raymend Hitchcock sang songs in a manner. exceeding, no doubt, the fondest anticipations of the authors of them.

Templeton, however, nearly disrupted the party, for in a thoughtless moment he threatened to sing "Bedella." The stern action of the assembled guests caused Mr. Templeton to take to the tail timber. Yesterday's affair was arranged by Mr. Robyn and Mr. Blossom in compliment to Mr. Hitchcock and his supporting players, it was called a "family" reunion, and every one was commanded to wear the smile-that-won't-come-off. And every one did.

venture. But the girls all like "Freddie" and "Hy." and, braving the storm and casting aside the tired feeling by a scientific process, they started for Union Station.

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to Country Correspondence?" Philip Ganar

Republican, Macon.
Discussion—Led by H. F. Staple, Mail, Rock-

Paper-"What Is Good Business Manage

Discussion-Led by J. R. Lowell, Democrat,

Paper-"How to Handle Your Competitor,"

Paper-"County Magazines," O. D. Gray,

Leader, Sturgeon. Discussion-Led by W. O. L. Jewett, Demo

PRESENT AT MEETING.

Among those present at the meeting

are: Percy Alexander, Banner News, St.

Charles; Oscar Andreen, Intelligencer,

Lexington; E. S. Austin, Monetary Rec-

ord, St. Louis; A. O. Allen, Record, New

Madrid; Johr Beal, Message, Mexico; C.

M. Brosius, Democrat, Liberty; Euphrates

Boucher Fountain and Journal, Mount

Vernon; J. L. Baity, Home Press, La

Plata; J. T. Bradshaw, Democrat, Chilli-

cothe; E. E. Campbell, Times, Louisiana;

J. P. Campbell, Prospect News, Doniphan J. W. Cox, News, Monroe City; Sam B.

Cook, Jefferson City; H. F. Childers, Free

Press, Troy; J. M. Durdy, Record, Shelby-

ville; Joe Doyle, Herald, Shelbyville; F. N. Frost, Leader, Vandalia; A. C. Ganz,

News, Louistana: H. A. Gass, School Jour-

nal, Jefferson City; O. D. Gray, Leader

Sturgeon; Philip Ganz, Republican, Ma-con; J. J. Heifner, Times-Democrat, Ma-

con; R. Eearle Hodges, Herald-Post, Mo-kane; W. T. Jeikins, Landmark, Platte

City; John W. Jacks, Standard, Montgom-

ery City; Robertus Love, St. Louis; P. L.

Lyles, Current Wave, Eminence; J. R.Low-

ell. Democrat, Moberiy; R. W. McMullen,

Jefferson Democrat, Hillsboro; J. F. Mit-chim, Press, De Soto; John Marens, Dem-

ocrat, Harrisonville; W. R. Painter, Dem-ocrat, Carrolton; L. P. Roberts, Democrat,

Memphis; W. L. Reid, Monroe City; Georgiana Raby, Dawn, St. Louis; Wes L.

Robertson, Democrat, Gallatin; B. A. Roy, Democrat-Register, Bonne Terre; A. H.

Robins, Central Law Journal, St. Louis;

W. J. Skidmore, Standard, Skidmore; H.

F. Stapel, Mail Rock Port; William South-

ern, Jr., Examiner, Independence; F. H.

Sosey and John Sosey, Spectator, Pal-

myra; J. B. Tucker, Gazette, Parksville;

William L. Thomas, School and Home, St

Louis: W. D. Thomas, Sun, Fulton: Dan

F. Thompson, Eagle, Eldon; James Todd.

Democrat, and H. E. Robinson, Repub-

crat, Shelbina.

Reports of committees. Miscellaneous business. Adjournment.

F. L. Wenzel, Advertiser-Courier, Hermann. Discussion-Led by C. L. Woods, Herald-Democrat, Rolla.

MISSOURI EDITORS

plans were off for Glen Echo.

Some one began to sing "They's Rambling," and every one caught on. Natives gasped in amazement as the special speeded toward the country, and when the party arrived at the Glen Echo Station the oldest inhabitants sought the secure crevices of the wooded district.

The Glen Echo Club was thrown wide open for the guests. The sideboard was stripped of tabs, and any one who didn't see what he wanted merely had to ask for it. It was always forthcoming.

Of course, the feminine element of "The Yankee Consul" company, like most women, could "die dancing," and, while the billiard-room proved an attraction for a few, most of the girls availed themselves of a long-sought opportunity and danced till they were tired. The members of the company sang nearly every song that was ever written, the men told every story that they had ever heard, and during the rests Robyn, contrary to his sacred rule, played ragitime for the accompaniment of those whose vocal repertoire is limited.

WISHES HE WERE RICH. WISHES HE WERE RICH.

And thus it went all afternoon. At 5 clock the dining-room was opened and for a few minutes the situation assumed serious phase. Mr. Robyn was called upon for a speech. Mr. Robyn wanted to

venture. But the girls all like "Freddie" and "Hy." and, braving the storm and casting aside the tired feeling by a scientific process, they started for Union Station.

"RAMBLED" INTO COUNTRY.

A special car was chartered. This car was attached to the regular Wabash train.

Robyn beat me to it."

Then Mr. Hitchcock was called. The details of Mr. Hichcock's address have already been recounted. His speech for "unny ball' to rolling again and it was a happy, happy crowd that finally started for the Century Theater, there to labor for the benefit of those who would drive dull care away.

GO ON EXCURSION.

Herald, Columbia; C. L. Wood, Herald, Democrat, Rolla; W. W. Waters, Southeast Missourian, New Madrid; Ben F Wood, Tribune, Laredo; Will H. Zorn, Gazette, West Plains

Among the ladies present are: Mes lames O. D. Gray, A. O. Allen, E. J. Mc-Murtrey, C. D. Morton, A. C. Morton, We L. Robinson, W. J. Skidmore, John Beal. William Fillen, J. W. Bell, H. F. Stapel, R. M. White, E. E. Campbell, C. L. Wood, and Misses Nellie Trigg, Kate Cloud, Mary McCrae, Francis Alexander, Florence

CAR CREW AND PASSENGER HURT IN A COLLISION.

Motorman Z. Crow, Conductor E. A. Noel and H. Schnessler Bruised at Open Switch on Sixth Street.

In a collision of two Cass avenue cars on Sixth street, between Cerre and Poplar streets, yesterday evening about 6:20, the crew of the southbound coach and a passenger were slightly hurt. The accident was caused by an oper

switch into which the southbound car ran while under high speed. The car was thrown across the northbound track and was struck by a car coming from the op-

Motorman Z. Crow of the southbound car was hurled into the street and sustained a fracture of the wrist. Conductor E. A. Noel of the northbound car was thrown against the door on the rear platform and sustained several bruises on the body. H. Schnessler of No. 3303 Missouri avenue was on the back platform of the southbound car, and thrust his hand through a window and was slightly cut. The injured were sent in an ambulance to the City Hospital, where they were treated. Their wounds were pronounced not serious.

EIGHT KILLED IN BATTLE. General Jiminez, Driven Into Fort, Lacks Ammunition.

SPECIAL BY CABLE TO THE NEW YORK HERALD AND THE ST. LOUIS REPUBLIC. Puerto Plata, Santo Domingo, Jan. 21.— (Copyright, 1994.)—General Caceras has fought another battle, in which Ramon Tanarez and seven others were killed. He occupies Castillo City. General Jiminez has retired to the fort, but can offer only weak resistance, as he

A. F. McINTYRE ARRESTED. Charged With Operating Get-

Rich-Quick Concern in St. Louis. Chicago, Jan. 21.—Post Office Inspectors to-day arrested A. F. McIntyre, formerly of St. Louis, on a charge of operating a get-rich-quick concern.

lican, Maryville; C. D. Tresenriter, Progress, Cape Girardeau; G. S. Townsend, It is alleged that in St. Louis McIntire Free Press, Troy; George Trigg, Conservator, Richmond; C. P. Vandiver, Courier, Keytesville; R. M. White, Ledger, Mexico; T. T. Wilson, Avalanche, Tarkio; McIntire was taken to St. Louis to-night.

BLAZE VISITS SPINOLE TOP.

Northwestern Part of the Hogg-Swayne Tract Swept of Derricks and Rigging.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Beaumont, Tex., Jan. 21.—The north-western part of the Hogg-Swayne tract on Spindletop was visited this afternoon by a destructive fire that cleaned up an area of two acres, mostly of abandoned wells, the derricks and rigging of which were

partly dismantled The origin of the fire is unknown, but it s thought to have been caused by friction n the casing of a well that was being sailed on the Michigan Diamond property. The loss is estimated around \$25,000, and prorated as follows:

Michigan Diamond Company, Marx & Silbough, two producing wells and derricks; R. L. Cox & Co., Caldwell Oil Well Company, Texas Oil and Pipe Line Company, Apex Oll Company, L. A. Carlston and Mechanics' Oil ompany, each with derrick. The Moore-Skinner Company lost me derrick, the Georgetown, Waco and Texas Oil and Pire Company, two derdeks, and Hogg-Swayne syndicates, operating under name of Texas Oil and Transit Company, three derricks. About twen-ty-five Standard's rigs all told, destroyed.

ADVISES AGAINST MUCH USE OF PERSONAL PRONOUN "I."

Mrs. Elizabeth B. James Addresses Advertising Men's Lengue on "Ladles' Night" at Hamilton Hotel.

The St. Louis Advertising Men's League held a "Ladies' Night" last evening at the Hamilton Hotel. A banquet was served in the Dutchroom, about eighty guests being present. Speeches were made by Charles J. O'Malley, M. Koenigsberg, G. H. Schollmeyer, Miss Rose Marion, Mrs. Linda Rose Wade and Miss Anita

Mrs. Elizabeth B. James delivered an ddress on "The Relation of the Advertisng Manager to Department Heads and

ing Manager to Department Heads and Employes." Mrs. James said in part:

"Get in touch with the head of every department as quickly as possible, not for the purpose of impressing him or her with the amount of your knowledge, your originality and individuality, but to assure them that the entire ability and skill of the advertisement writer is to be added to their efforts to push the department.

"The first suggestion that I would make to the man or woman assuming charge of the publicity department would be to eliminate at once the pronoun 'I "Identify yourself immediately with the firm of which you have, in your own estimation, become an important factor. By this I do not mean that you should relinquish your own 'individuality,' of which the young advertisement writer is so tenacious because he has prepared for the position by working out geometrical designs calculated to produce what is called 'symmetrical' effect.

"Use your own good judgment."

SECOND STRIKER ARRESTED. Haber Charged With Intimidating Driver Near Union Station.

The second striker to be arrested since he beginning of the trouble between the Liverymen's Association and their former employes was William H. Haber, who was taken into custody at Broadway and Elm

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There was a rehearsal of the players at the Century yesterday mass aroned Mr. Robyn wanted to say a few words in "all seriousness," and the ded.

"I want to tell you." he said. "that I keel grateful to the players. They have feel did.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL Frankfort Ky., Jan. 11.—President Roosevelt has been invited, with all the other leaders of national repute, to come to Kentucky between this time and March

15 to address the Kentucky General Assembly.

A resolution inviting him was offered in the lower house of the Assembly to-day by Representative Proctor of Grayson.

Former Governor Bradley arrived here to-night from Washington. He will address the Assembly to-morrow if it is possible for him to remain for a day.

FATHER NUGENT TO GIVE MISSIONS. St. Vincent's Pastor Will Spend Lent

The Very Reverend Father F. V. Nuent, C. M., pastor of the Catholic Church of St. Vincent de Paul, has been se ing Lent. The power of Father Nugent as an arator and adviser is known through-out the order to which he belongs, and for this reason he has been assigned to the

this reason he has been assigned to the important task.

He will leave St. Louis about Ash Wednesday and will return to his church probably in time to take part in the Easter services. During his absence the masses of St. Vincent's Church and its ceremonies will be conducted by the assistant orlests.

NEGRO FOOTPAD ROBBED HER.

Miss Lizzie Tierney Lost Purse Before She Could Resist.

In front of the home of Mrs. E. A. Platt, No. 3659 West Pine boulevard, where she is employed as servant, Miss Lizzie Tierney was attacked by a negro who snatched her purse, about 7:30 yesterday evening. In the pocketbook were some re cipts, a key and \$1 in money. The footpad came upon Miss Tlerney

from behind, and before she could make any resistance had seized her purse. He escaped by fleeing through an alley.

GOLD STRIKE MADE IN NEW MEXICO.

Prospectors Report Rich Find on Revuelto Creek Near Tucumcari.

MUCH EXCITEMENT PREVAILS.

Business Men Close Their Stores and Rush to the Scene of the Placer Sands to Make Their Fortunes

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Albuquerque, N. M., Jan. 21.—News has just reached here of the discovery of p'acer gold along Revuelto Creek, sixty miles east of this city and near the eastern boundary of New Mexico, which, if later developments prove true, is one of

Rocky Mountains. Revuelto Creek runs an uncertain course eighteen miles east of Tucumcari on the Rock Island Railroad and is dry part of

the richest gold finds ever made in the

A party of prospectors from Tucumcari, working along the creek, discovered im-mense deposits of black sand, in which nuggets the size of grains of wheat are said to be thick and which will assay

fabulous values. The gold is scattered evenly through the sand and strata, and the richness in-

creases with depth. Intense excitement prevailed at Tucucari where the business men are closing their stores and rushing to the scene of the

bonanza. A special to the Journal from Tucumcari to-night says that a party of experienced prospectors is just in from the new fields, and declare it the richest placer strike ever made in the West. Parties from all towns along the Rock Island are outfitting and preparing to start for the placers, where already more than 100 men are at

MAY BE A NEW EL DORADO.

Discovery of Gold Causes Excitement Around Tucumcari, N. M.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL
El Paso, Tex., Jan. 21.—The wildest ex-El Paso, Tex., Jan. H.—The whoest ex-citement prevails around Tucumcari, N.

M. Business men closed stores and are flocking to the new placer fields just dis-covered on Revuelto Creek.
Gold nuggets as large as wheat grains are said to have been found in every pan.

Expert miners pronounce it the best prospect ever discovered and predict a new El Dorado.

FRATERNITIES TO AID CONSUMPTIVES

Society With Sanitarium in New Mexico Reports Nearly 600 Cures in Last Year.

At the second annual meeting of the National Board of Directors of the Sanitarium for Consumptives at Lippe's res-taurant last evening, it was voted to affiliate with the fraternities and beneficiary societies which have a movement on

foot for the same end. A resolution was passed changing the name of the corporation to the National Kentucky Legislature Asks Him to Deliver Address.

Fraternal Sanitarium for Consumptives, and requesting the National Fraternal Congress and the Associated Fraternities of America, which represent a memberahip of 6,000,000, to aid in the work of the society.

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The officers elected were: Noah M. Glvan, president; F. W. Mott, C. F. Hatfield and Doctor W. H. Mayfield, vice presidents; E. H. P. Haynes, treasurer; W. P. Moody, corresponding secretary, and Harry W. Leonard, recording secretary.

To the Board of Managers were elected, for three years, Rolla Welis, C. F. Hatfield and F. W. Mott; for one year, E. Wilkerson and W. R. Eldson, John S. Poindexter and Doctor H. A. Warner of Topeka, Kas. The Executive Committee is composed of the officers and Director Eldson.

Eldson.

In a partial report of the work already accomplished it was stated that 600 persons have gone to the 600-acre site secured by the corporation near Deming, N. M., and that among these only two had died during the last year. Cures of eighteen out of twenty-two persons sent from St. Louis and vicinity were also reported.

The treatment is under the open-air method, and there are as yet no buildings erected on the land of the company. The patients live in tents. A central tent for the administrative department has answered all the purposes of a costly building.

During the last year the society has received many donations of money and tents from persons who have had friends or relatives die with consumption, and it is the purpose of the society to secure a further grant of land for the support of the sanitarium, which is free of charge.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Itching, blind, bleeding or protruding piles. Your druggist will refund money if Pago Cintment falls to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50a.

KANSAS CONVENTION APRIL 7. Democratic Committee Issues

Call for Wichita. Topeka, Kas., Jan. 21.-The Democratic State Committee met here to-night and called a State Convention to meet in Wichita April 7. This gathering will select delegates to the National Convention and also choose a date for another State Convention to nominate State officers, which will be held in Topeka.

No attempt was made to-night to indoree any presidential candidates. The prevailing sentiment was against a fusion with the Populists.

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The Burlington has the only train from St. Louis at the popular leaving hour of 9:00 P. M. for the above-named cities. It carries high-grade equipment for all classes, including the new. handsome, acetylene-lighted chair cars for first or second class travel (seats free).

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